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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In Re.: Patent Application of
LLOYD, CHARLEY Y.
ABOUELENEIN, AMANY
REBHORN, JOHN P.
MCCLURE, KAREN

Serial No.: 09/781,583

Filed: February 12, 2001

For: PORTABLE CONTAINER SEPARATELY CONTAINING TWO
CONSUMABLE PRODUCTS, AND A DRY CONSUMABLE
PRODUCT, ESPECIALLY RTE CEREAL, FOR USE
THEREWITH

Docket No.: 5520USA (DBC G180.140.101)

FILING OF MISSING PARTS OF APPLICATION

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, DC 20231

Dear Sir:

Applicant has received a Notice To File Missing Parts
Of Application--Filing Date Granted. The Notice indicated
that (i) the basic filing fee, (ii) the additional claims
fee and (iii) an executed oath/declaration were missing.

Please find enclosed a Declaration executed by the
inventors.

Also enclosed is a copy of the Notice. All necessary fees are herewith made from Deposit Account No. 07-0900.

Respectfully submitted,

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First Named Inventor: LLOYD, CHARLEY Y.

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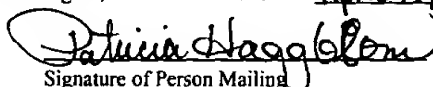
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- ☐ Drawings
- ☒ Declaration
- ☐ Assignment
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Small Entity Status:

- ☐ has been established by a previously submitted statement.
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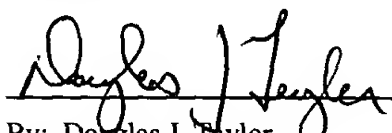
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[X] In the event that a petition for extension of time is required to be submitted herewith and that a separate petition is not submitted herewith, applicant hereby petitions under 37 CFR 1.136(a) for an extension of time of as many months as are required to render this submission timely. Any fee is authorized above.

Respectfully submitted,

Date: April 16, 2001


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NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

Filing Date Granted

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The statutory basic filing fee is missing.
Applicant must submit \$ 710 to complete the basic filing fee and/or file a small entity statement claiming such status (37 CFR 1.27).
- Total additional claim fee(s) for this application is \$850.
 - \$450 for 25 total claims over 20.
 - \$400 for 5 independent claims over 3 .
- The oath or declaration is unsigned.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- The balance due by applicant is \$ 1690.

A copy of this notice MUST be returned with the reply.

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